

## Two vehicle wreck claims life of Brewster man

By Mike Maltais  
STAFF WRITER

BRIDGEPORT – The Washington State Patrol reports that a two-vehicle accident on Bridgeport Bar claimed the life of a Brewster man early on the morning of July 4.

Alejandro Martinez Rincon, 29, died when he lost control of the vehicle he was driving

southbound on Highway 173 and was struck by a second vehicle traveling northbound. The WSP said Martinez Rincon, driving a 1995 Honda Civic, failed to negotiate a curve, overcorrected, struck the embankment, and reentered the road coming to rest in and blocking the northbound lane.

A northbound 2013 Toyota

Corolla driven by Rodimiro Espino Lorenzano, 20, of Brewster, struck the Honda and came to rest on the road shoulder.

WSP said Martinez Rincon, who was not wearing his seatbelt, died at the scene.

Espino Lorenzano, injured in the crash and treated at the scene, was wearing a seatbelt.

The accident remains under investigation.

## Rain does not dampen Brewsters July 4th festivities

By Mike Maltais  
Staff writer

BREWSTER – Despite the rain squalls that were part of nearly every day or night during the first week of July the Independence Day parade found an opening in the weather that allowed the long line of vehicles and marchers to make their way down Main Avenue and Seventh Avenue to Columbia Cove Park late Monday morning.



American Legion bikers led off with the colors.

## Nespelem Celebration

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Native dancers perform in their finest traditional dress.

Mike Maltais/QCH



Dancing horses await their entry onto the parade route.



Elaina Joye from East Wenatchee entertained in Columbia Cove Park.



A variety of wheels were on display.

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Dance regalia is in evidence everywhere.



The large circular open air dance arena is a hub of activity.



Singing and drums are cultural constants during the event.

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NESPELEM – Hundreds gathered at Nespelem last week to participate in or observe four days of music, dancing, games, food, and commemoration at the Colville Confederated Tribes largest annual celebration from July 7-10.

Steeped in tradition the gathering also served as a memorial and remembrance of tribal members who passed in previous years. Drumming and singing filled the air at both the large, covered outdoor arena and nearby game

pavilion that offered entertainment and activities for all comers.

In keeping with current

economic challenges gas-gouging drawings gave away \$100 prizes to lucky winners to help defray travel expenses.



What would any celebration be without a lemonade stand?



Teepees mix with camp trailers for accommodating guests.



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The Champs Chicken looked good enough for the oven.



The youngest driver in the parade had an adult escort.



Labrie Racing promoted the upcoming Brewster hydro races

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# What have you got to lose?



Mike Maltais/QCH  
True love? World peace? Mega Millions jackpot? This front yard attraction at an Okanogan residence invites you to toss a coin and try your luck.

# Bingo is back!



Mike Maltais/QCH  
Denny Pittman Area Three Commander of Columbia Post 97 calls the numbers at the Bingo debut night at the Brewster American Legion last Thursday, July 7. Except for July 28, the Legion will host Bingo in its dining room every Thursday night at 7 p.m.

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# FESTIVITY

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Following breakfast hosted by the Brewster Fire Department from 7-9 a.m. parade participants began lining up at the Legion Park at the east end of Main. The Columbia Post 97 honor guard posted the colors complete with rifle volley and taps that signaled the procession to begin.

Venders were set up and waiting as customers began arriving for the food and live entertainment leading up to



brewsterwachamber/facebook  
Brewster Fire and Rescue was well represented

the fireworks display over the river after dark. Later in the afternoon wind and rain finally caught up with the

celebration but was too little and too late to do anything more than drop a little damp on the crowd of spectators.



Mike Maltais/QCH  
Vendors with their colorful banners lined the drive in Cove Park.

# Facing a better tomorrow

SUBMITTED BY CONGRESSMAN DAN NEWHOUSE

This Fourth of July, Americans in Central Washington and across the country are contending with a host of financial worries. Red-hot inflation has contributed to a skyrocketing cost of living and continues to wreak havoc on financial markets, the American supply chain, and Americans' pocketbooks. As the country deals with record-high gas prices and sparse shelves at the grocery store, it is more important than ever to call to mind what it is that makes our country great—and how we can return to greatness once more. Independence Day gives us just that opportunity.

Since the beginning of our republic, Independence Day has been celebrated with parades and ceremonies—a loud and proud declaration of our commitment to freedom and the principles outlined in our nation's founding documents: life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. The risk undertaken by our forefathers is often hard to fathom. To stake their

lives on their challenge to the greatest empire in the world and establish a nation rid of monarchy is admirable beyond words. The light of the United States stands testament to their successful establishment of a representative, constitutional republic that recognizes and protects our God-given, inalienable rights.

It is perhaps best stated by President Ronald Reagan during his 1981 inaugural address, when Americans were facing a period of economic suffering not unlike the one we face today. "The economic ills we suffer have come upon us over several decades. They will not go away in days, weeks, or months, but they will go away. They will go away because we as Americans have the capacity now, as we've had in the past, to do whatever needs to be done to preserve this last and greatest bastion of freedom."

Pinning the blame on excessive government intervention, President Reagan remained hopeful because of the promise of the nation and its foundation of undying freedom:

"If we look to the answer as to why for so many years we achieved so much, prospered as no other people on Earth, it was because here in this land we unleashed the energy and individual genius of man to a greater extent than has ever been done before. Freedom and the dignity of the individual have been more available and assured here than in any other place on Earth." President Reagan knew what we in Central Washington see around us every day: that America is exceptional, distinguishing itself from the rest of the world by granting unequivocal liberty to her people, harnessing the ultimate power of the individual to unlock prosperity for all. On the Fourth of July, we pay homage to the founders who pioneered this exceptionalism and laid the groundwork for these great United States we enjoy today.

In the United States, "We the People" have grown as a beacon of hope in the world by harnessing our strengths through liberty and a government limited to the confines of the Constitution. Even during a time of economic ailment and financial stress, the Fourth of July is a reminder of the core ideas that have made this country so great. As Central Washington and the nation-at-large gather as a community to celebrate these ideals, we remain grateful for the privilege that life in this nation guarantees and hopeful that, when we unite as one, we will turn the corner to face a better tomorrow.

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### Douglas County Sheriff

**July 1**  
 06:30 Agency Assist, US Hwy. 97 MP 221, Orondo  
 11:27 Animal Problem, 12 Alcazar Ln., Orondo  
 12:59 Parking/ Abandoned Vehicle, 100 Sagebrush Rd., Waterville  
 17:08 Agency Assist, 117 S. Greene St., Waterville  
 17:41 Public Assist, Waterville area  
 20:01 Fireworks, 811 Jefferson Ave., Bridgeport  
 21:10 Civil Dispute, 1139 Fairview Ave., Bridgeport  
 22:13 DUI, 900 block Maple St., Bridgeport  
 22:36 Public Assist, Rd. C NW and Rd 3 NW, Waterville  
 22:51 Domestic Disturbance, 531 Columbia Ave., Bridgeport

**July 2**  
 00:11 Agency Assist, Rd. 14 NE and Rd. J NE, Mansfield  
 14:20 Vehicle Theft, 1969 Rd. E NE, Mansfield  
 18:02 Suspicious Circumstance, 601 N. Monroe St., NCW Fairgrounds, Waterville  
 18:56 DUI, 520 SR 173, Bridgeport Bar  
 19:51 Suspicious Circumstance, 435 Rd. 14 NE, Mansfield  
 21:44 Noise Complaint, 595 SR 173 Bridgeport Bar  
 22:42 Fireworks, Foster Ave. and 9th St., Bridgeport  
 22:43 Agency Assist, 200 Sand Trail Rd., Brewster

**July 3**  
 07:46 Agency Assist, 1344 Fairview Ave., Bridgeport  
 15:44 Parking/ Abandoned Vehicle, Rd 15 NW and Rd. C NW, Mansfield  
 19:53 Sex Offense, 301 E. 1st Ave., Mansfield  
 21:11 911-call, 203 Sunset Way, Waterville  
 21:13 Alarm, 1300 Douglas Ave., Bridgeport

**July 4**  
 00:20 Non-injury Accident, McNeil Canyon Rd., MP 7, Orondo  
 00:24 Domestic Disturbance, 214 Hamilton St., Mansfield  
 02:08 Agency Assist, SR 173 MP 5, Bridgeport Bar  
 18:59 Theft, 21318 B US Hwy. 97, Orondo  
 22:54 Fireworks, Fairview Ave. and 2nd St., Bridgeport

**July 5**  
 15:43 Marine, 23459 US Hwy. 97, Beebe Bridge  
 16:08 Property, Columbia River, Bridgeport  
 18:42 Animal Problem, Walnut St. and W. 2nd Ave., Mansfield

**July 6**  
 11:15 Civil Dispute, 2412 Highland Dr., Bridgeport  
 12:08 Suspicious Circumstance, 109 Pine St., Bridgeport Bar  
 15:21 Suspicious Circumstance, 2227 Columbia Blvd., Bridgeport  
 16:19 Alarm, 45 Fisher Ln., Orondo  
 17:35 Civil Dispute, 228 Willow View Dr., Orondo  
 17:39 Harassment/ Threat, 1175 Rd. 6 NW, Waterville  
 19:04 Suspicious Circumstance, 101 W. Poplar St., Waterville

**July 7**  
 07:41 Theft, 335 Lakeview Ave., Orondo

12:29 Public Assist, 412 W. 2nd St., Waterville  
 13:16 Alarm, 15 Chapman Ln., Orondo  
 13:36 Agency Assist, 249 Rd. 9.5 NE, Mansfield  
 15:20 Alarm, 260 Vineyard Dr., Orondo  
 16:17 Public Assist, 465 Rd. C NW, Waterville  
 16:20 CPS/ APS Referral, 302 E. Ash St., Waterville  
 20:21 Suspicious Circumstance, 758 SR 173, Bridgeport Bar  
 22:21 Civil Dispute, 929 Maple St., Bridgeport

### Brewster Police Department

**July 1**  
 22:54 Agency assist requested for a domestic dispute on Columbia Ave. in Bridgeport.

**July 2**  
 00:01 A 73-year-old female caller reported having chest discomfort and back pain on E. Ferry Ave. in Brewster.  
 15:13 A civil dispute was reported on Unger Rd. in Brewster for boats in the water that were too close to the caller's shoreline.  
 18:09 An agency assist was requested on Fisk Ave. in Bridgeport regarding trespassing.  
 22:30 An injury accident was reported on Sand Trail Rd. in Bridgeport, the caller reported male and female guests that were hostile at the location when they were asked to leave and acting erratic.

**July 3**  
 No local reports.

**July 4**  
 21:38 Fireworks were reported on W. Cliff Ave. in Brewster.  
 22:38 A subject reportedly was shot in the face by fireworks on S. 7th St. and W. Cliff Ave. and their jawline was injured.  
 23:03 A caller reported a suspicious call about someone being in Umpqua Bank, in Brewster.  
 23:14 A stray Husky dog was reported on Hwy. 97 and was inside, with a collar.

**July 5**  
 00:10 A caller on S. 7th St. reported one of the dumpsters smoking heavily and the caller's dad was trying to put it out.  
 11:40 A traffic offense was reported on E. Main Ave. and N. Bridge St. in Brewster.  
 20:33 A domestic dispute was reported on North Star Rd. in Brewster for a caller trying to evacuate her son and his girlfriend.

**July 6**  
 17:01 A citizen dispute was reported on S. 4th St. in Brewster when a subject reported their mother had found a cell phone plugged in outside her apartment.  
 22:49 A residential burglary alarm was reported on E. Main Ave. in Brewster.

**July 7**  
 21:00 A burglary alarm was triggered on Sand Trail Rd.

### Okanogan County Sheriff

**July 1**  
 08:02 A red Can Am 4-wheeler was reported stolen on Old Hwy. 97 in Brewster.  
 09:53 A non-injury accident was reported on Hwy. 97 in Pateros involving a male subject with a truck with trailer.  
 09:53 An unknown-injury accident was reported on Hwy. 97 in Pateros and a van that rolled.

14:28 A caller on Golden Lane Rd. in Brewster reported receiving threats to their life.  
 15:13 A civil dispute was reported on Unger Rd. in Brewster regarding boats in the water too close to their shoreline.

**July 2**  
 19:54 An agency assist was requested on Lakeshore Dr. in Pateros regarding a female subject passed out in the driver's seat of a vehicle.  
 20:48 Fireworks were reported on Cemetery Rd. in Pateros.  
 22:30 An injury accident was reported on Sand Trail Rd. in Bridgeport involving subjects in a semi truck towing a large boat and acting erratic.

**July 3**  
 00:26 A suspicious circumstance was reported involving a green van stuck in a ditch somewhere in Brewster.  
 23:05 Fireworks were reported in River Front Park in Pateros.

**July 4**  
 00:11 A disabled vehicle was reported on Hwy. 153 and a male subject was waiting for a tow truck.  
 00:31 Fireworks were reported at Memorial Park in Pateros.  
 18:40 An agency assist was requested at Chief Joseph Dam View Point in Bridgeport for a possible domestic violence case where a male subject looked like he was trying to drive away.  
 23:03 A caller reported receiving a suspicious call about someone being in the Umpqua Bank in Brewster.  
 23:17 A disabled vehicle was reported on Pioneer Rd. and Old Hwy. 97 in Brewster.

**July 5**  
 20:33 A domestic disturbance was reported on North Star Rd. and the caller reportedly sounded intoxicated.

**July 6**  
 12:16 A caller on Valley Rd. in Brewster reported their neighbor had been shooting a .22 on his property for the past couple of days.  
 20:22 A suspicious circumstance was reported in Brewster for a subject outside a vehicle by himself.  
 22:28 A caller reported a suspicious circumstance on Unger Rd. when they heard a horse scream then heard a muffled sound.

**July 7**  
 01:27 A DUI was reported on Hwy. 17.

## OPINION

### To protect the grid and meet climate goals, we need the Lower Snake River dams

By KIRK HUDSON, GENERAL MANAGER OF CHELAN COUNTY PUD; RICH WALLEN, CEO AND GENERAL MANAGER OF GRANT COUNTY PUD; GARY IVORY, GENERAL MANAGER OF DOUGLAS COUNTY PUD

The headlines in recent weeks have been startling: Extreme heat and energy shortfalls in much of the country could lead to power outages this summer across the Midwest, Texas and California, and another active wildfire season in the West will pose even more reliability risks for the power system.

The nation's power grid is under incredible pressure. Growing electricity demand, climate change and carbon-reduction policies are increasing the risk of blackouts. As states phase out fossil fuels, the Northwest Power and Conservation Council reports that at least 3,500 additional megawatts of renewable resources are needed by 2027 to meet the region's energy needs and reduce emissions.

Despite all this, U.S. Senator Patty Murray and Governor Jay Inslee recently released a draft report which suggests a willingness to remove a critical source of carbon-free energy from the power grid.

The draft Murray-Inslee report examines the potential impacts of breaching four hydroelectric dams on the Lower Snake River and suggests the dams' energy generation could

be replaced by alternative technologies.

We strongly disagree. We believe this conclusion was based on questionable baseline assumptions and does not adequately address future challenges associated with plans to retire fossil fuel generation in the West.

The draft report lacks independent engineering, cost-benefit and fish-benefit analysis. As public utility districts that own and operate five dams on the Columbia River, all of which meet or exceed every federal and state standard to protect salmon, we do not want this deeply flawed draft report used to make decisions about the future of hydropower – decisions that could cost billions of taxpayer dollars, increase power rates, have negligible benefits, and further strain the electricity grid.

The Lower Snake River dams are significant sources of carbon-free electricity for the northwest. They provide 1,000 megawatts of energy, and up to 3,033 megawatts of capacity. That's enough energy to power a city the size of Seattle.

Here in North Central Washington, our customer-owned utilities produce reliable, carbon-free hydropower, which, like the power from the Lower Snake River dams, is used to balance the grid and fill in the gaps inherent with wind and solar. Our dams operate within the same power system as those on the Lower Snake River.

That system has worked as designed during the extreme weather events of recent years, keeping the lights on and protecting the health and safety of vulnerable popula-

tions. According to the Bonneville Power Administration, the Lower Snake River dams played an important role during last year's deep freeze and heat dome events. Removing the dams would put the region at a very high risk of blackouts during these types of weather events.

Simply put: There are no commercially available technologies that can be deployed at the scale necessary to replace the clean, renewable energy and capacity provided by hydropower. Technologies such as batteries have limited ability to back up wind and solar for short periods of time – generally for one to four hours. But for storage to provide reliable capacity during extreme weather events, when wind and solar are not generating, it must have a fleetwide duration of 100-1000 hours.

We recognize Sen. Murray and Gov. Inslee's long-standing efforts to achieve progress on the big issues of salmon recovery and clean energy. In our role as hydropower operators, we stand ready to support the pursuit of a carbon-free grid that electrifies transportation, buildings, appliances, and many other sectors. But it is counterproductive to frustrate these goals by removing hydropower capacity.

It is essential that policymakers fully understand the vital role the Lower Snake River dams play in meeting the region's energy supply needs and carbon reduction goals. We hope they consider that removing the dams could have public safety, electric reliability, and cost consequences for millions of people across the Northwest.

## DOUGLAS COUNTY PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT

Submitted by Meaghan Vibbert, Douglas County PUD, PIO

EAST WENATCHEE - Douglas County PUD Commissioners Aaron J. Viebrock, Molly Simpson and Ronald E. Skagen executed the following actions during the June 6 Commission meeting held at the District's East Wenatchee office:

Awarded Tom Goodwin, Networks Communication

Foremen and Eric Wentworth, Journeyman Wireman with their 20 year service awards. Commissioner Viebrock thanked Tom and Eric on behalf of the citizens of Douglas County for their years of service. They thanked the Commission.

Approved acceptance of work and final payment to Asplundh Tree Expert, LLC for the third year under contract 194-D, provide distribution tree

trimming services. All work is complete and determined to meet the bid specifications.

Authorized acceptance of work and final payment to Galvanizers, INC. under contract 21-47-D, tubular steel structures for Urban Industrial Substation. All work is complete and determined to meet the bid specifications. (22-103)

Affirmed change order No. 3 to contract 21-49-D, construct Urban Industrial Substation.

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**DEATH NOTICES**

**Alejandro Martinez Rincom**

Alejandro Martinez Rincom, 29, of Brewster, Washington, passed away on July 5, 2022. Please leave any thoughts and memories for the family at [www.barneschapel.com](http://www.barneschapel.com). Services are under the direction of Barnes Chapel of Brewster.

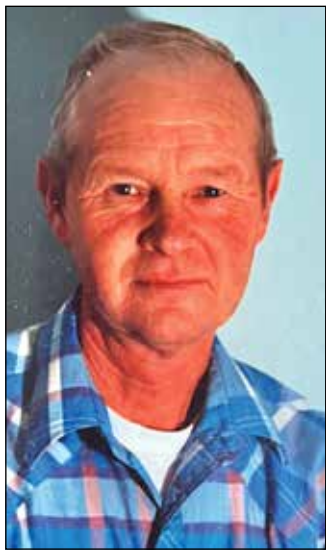
**Delores Mae Johnson**

Delores Mae Johnson, 88, of Bridgeport, Washington, passed away on July 3, 2022. Please leave any thoughts and memories for the family at [www.barneschapel.com](http://www.barneschapel.com). Services are under the direction of Barnes Chapel of Brewster.

**OBITUARIES**

**Bill M. Wainscott**  
March 31, 1934 – June 27, 2022

Bill was born on March 31, 1934 to Ivan and Anna Wainscott at the family ranch near Mansfield, Washington. He was raised on his parents' wheat ranch with his sister Colleen and brother Richard. He went to the school in Mansfield and graduated in 1953. He raised exotic pigeons during his high school years. He was in the Army for 2 years and was stationed in Germany as a cook.



He came home and farmed with his brother on the family ranch on Dyer Hill, raising wheat and cattle. Bill raised Arabian horses and had many beautiful mares and stallions.

His family relished his homemade pies and cinnamon rolls. He enjoyed reading the daily newspaper and watching the evening news

to keep up on current events. Bill lived his entire life in the house he was born in on the ranch, living his final years in East Wenatchee. He loved the peace and quiet of the ranch.

Bill leaves behind his brother Richard (Norma) Wainscott, his six nieces Kathy (Will) Wade, Denise (Tom) Poole, Shannon (K.D.) Leander, Paula (Jim) Young-Keeffe, Kaye (Brad) Wetli, Kris (Brian) Knopp, and numerous great nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, Ivan and Anna Wainscott, sister and brother-in-law Colleen and Gordon Black and nephew Clinton Wainscott.

A memorial service will be held Wednesday, July 13, 2022 at the Columbia River Fellowship Church in Mansfield at 11 a.m., followed by a lunch.

Please express your thoughts and memories on our online guestbook at [jones-jonesbetts.com](http://jones-jonesbetts.com). Arrangements are by Jones & Jones – Betts Funeral Home.

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BREWSTER – The Senior Center is now serving meals at Noon, at the center on Tuesdays and Friday. Home delivered meals Wednesday only. Call 509-826-7979 to reserve or cancel your meal. Suggested donation for those over age 60 is \$4. For those 60 and under the cost is \$10. MENU: Wednesday, July 13 – Home Delivery Only: Chicken Parmesan, Pasta Marinara, Italian Vegetables, Garden Salad, Fresh Fruit Tray, Dessert; Friday, July 15: Pepper Steak, Steamed Rice, Sour Cream & Cukes, Grapes, WW Roll, Dessert; Tuesday, July 19: Chicken Tacos, Rice, Mexican Slaw, Cinnamon Pears, Dessert; Wednesday, July 20 – Home Delivery Only: Pork Stir Fry, Steamed Rice, Spinach, Salad, Pineapple, Egg Roll; Friday, July 22: Pork Roast, Stuffing & Gravy, Roasted Carrots, Tossed Green Salad, Applesauce, Dessert

**July 13-16, 18-23**

**Senior Center Thrift Store**

BREWSTER – The Brewster-Pateros-Bridgeport Senior Center Thrift Store is open Monday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Everyone is welcome to come to the center on Tuesdays from 9:30-11 a.m. for coffee and conversation, plus sweets. Check out our great kids section. Donations accepted when they are open. They are also the Brewster Visitor Information Center and the Brewster Chamber of Commerce meeting room.

**July 13**

**Brewster Chamber to meet**

BREWSTER – The next gen-

eral meeting of the Brewster Chamber of Commerce will be held Wednesday, July 13, 6 p.m. at the Senior Center, 109 Bridge Street. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend. For information [brewsterwachamber@gmail.com](mailto:brewsterwachamber@gmail.com) or Mike Mauk, 509-449-0605.

**July 14**

**Bingo is back**

BREWSTER - Bingo is back at the Brewster American Legion, every Thursday night at 6 p.m. (except for July 28). It is open to public. Come early to purchase game packets and markers.

**July 15, August 12**

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**July 16, 19**

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**July 20**

**American Legion meeting**

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**July 25**

**Okanogan County PUD meetings**

OKANOGAN – The next meeting of the Okanogan County PUD Board of Commissioners will be held Monday, July 25, at 3 p.m. For more information [okanoganpud.org](http://okanoganpud.org)

**July 25**

**Douglas County PUD meetings**

EAST WENATCHEE – The next meeting of the Douglas County PUD Commission is July 11 at 1:30 p.m. in the Bridgeport office.

**August 8**

**Okanogan County Fair Advisory Committee**

OKANOGAN – The Okanogan County Fair Advisory Committee meets the second Monday of the month and is always looking for volunteers. The meetings are open to the public and begin at 6 p.m. in the Okanogan County Commissioners' hearing room, 123 N. Fifth Ave., Okanogan.

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THE WASHINGTON OUTDOOR REPORT



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Always wear a life jacket while kayaking.

BY JOHN KRUSE, THE WASHINGTON OUTDOOR REPORT

Playing it Safe Outdoors

The wilderness and waters here in Washington offer a wonderful playground for outdoors recreation but far too many people underestimate the dangers out there, turning a fun day of enjoying nature into a crisis or tragedy.

In the past month there have been three accidents in

find his kayak. When they did, Sergeant Reinfeld said they found he had not taken his insulin medication with him and he was not wearing his life jacket, which was left in the boat. The young man has not been located.

Kayak Accident - June 25 - Little Wenatchee River

Two experienced kayakers put in at a bridge crossing on the Little Wenatchee River. Where they put in was rela-

mine if they are passable and to formulate a plan to navigate them.

Asked about other water safety issues unrelated to this incident, Sergeant Reinfeld stressed the importance of always wearing a life jacket while in a watercraft. He also said that while being tethered to a Stand-Up-Paddleboard is a good idea on a lake it might not be on a river if the tether or paddleboard gets hung up on a snag or structure.

Alpine Lakes/ Enchantments Rescues

While I was on the phone with Sergeant Reinfeld, he was coordinating a rescue mission in the Enchantments portion of the Alpine Lakes Wilderness. A hiker had slipped on snow and slid into a tree. The hiker was unable to move and with the weather in the area bad, a ground team was hiking in with supplies to help them weather the night (the day hikers had none) until a helicopter could reach them the next day.

Reinfeld said the first year of the Covid pandemic was a record year for search and rescues and they remain very busy. He explained that almost all of those who needed to be rescued in the mountains or woods underestimated their skills, their level of fitness, and the time they needed to do the hike they were on (especially in the Enchantments). Many of them did not research the conditions in advance through websites like the Washington Trail Association's Trip Reports page and were not aware of how fast the weather can change in the Cascades.

As far as parting tips go, Reinfeld said it's always good to have a way to communicate besides a cell phone. Both Spot and Garmin make portable devices you can take with you that operate off a satellite. If you get into trouble, you can simply text the nearest 911 call center and ask for help. Sergeant Reinfeld also said hikers should be prepared to spend the night in the woods if things go wrong with the appropriate clothing and survival supplies and to always let someone know where you are going and when you expect to be back. Consider these lessons learned on the water and in the high country.

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Courtesy John Kruse

The mountains are calling but be prepared.

Central Washington leading to deaths in each instance. Could some of them have been prevented? There is reason to believe so and sometimes, it really comes down to playing it safe and knowing your limitations before you put yourself into a situation you can't get out of. Here is a rundown of these recent incidents.

Climbing Accident - July 4 - Icicle Buttress near Leavenworth

A 44-year-old man from Vancouver, Washington was climbing with a female partner when they were caught in a sudden, violent rainstorm. The two attempted to descend the rocky face but the male climber fell some 100 feet and died from the injuries he sustained when he did. Sergeant Jason Reinfeld is in charge of Emergency Management and Search and Rescue Operations for the Chelan County Sheriff's Office. He speculated the two climbers didn't anticipate the magnitude of the storm. Reinfeld also said it appeared to have popped out of the rocks as the victim descended, leading to the fall.

Kayak Accident - June 28 - Lake Chelan

An 18-year-old Redmond man launched his kayak from Twenty-Five-Mile State Park around 10:30 a.m. while vacationing with his family. He was last seen a few miles up lake from the park. His family alerted authorities when he did not return. Chelan County Sheriff's Deputies responded to the scene and searched by boat and air but could not locate the kayaker, who was diabetic. They did however,

tively calm but two hundred yards downstream around a corner there was a severe set of rapids and a waterfall. Both kayakers were thrown out of their kayaks. One of the men made it to shore, the other, a 41-year-old man from Des Moines, lost his life jacket and was swept over the waterfall. As of July 6, his body has not been recovered due to high flowing waters.

Sergeant Reinfeld talked about the importance of knowing the river in detail that you are going to paddle. He said this set of rapids and waterfall was not visible from the road and he does not know if they scouted the whitewater from the bank before entering it or if they entered it blind. It is always a good practice to scout rapids ahead to deter-

Motion sickness remedies

Several years ago, my husband's cousin and wife invited us to join them on a 1-day cruise in Alaska. It was viewing Aialik Glacier, the largest tidewater glacier in Kenai Fjords National Park. Lunch was on board the ship, and a lovely salmon and crab dinner at Fox Island awaited us on the way back.

We arrived at 9 a.m., at the boat terminal through pouring rain, wind gusts nearly knocked us over, and a temperature of 49 degrees Fahrenheit. The captain canceled the cruise due to the weather, thank heavens. I wouldn't have enjoyed being tossed about on the boat because I get seasick.

Acupressure helps ease motion sickness for some people. Wearing an elastic band around your wrist activates a particular pressure point, relieving nausea and discomfort. To give this medication-free approach a try, look for Sea Bands®.

Ginger can be an effective motion sickness remedy. For best results, take 500mg to 1000mg of powdered root every 4-6 hours. Fresh ginger root, capsules of ground ginger, or small chunks of sweetened, crystallized ginger also work. My favorite form is crystallized ginger, which weighs twice as much as powdered ginger.

I used to weigh pieces of crystallized ginger with my little apothecary scale left over from pharmacy school. The best results were achieved with chunks about the size of a full-strength aspirin tablet. Ginger ale, ginger tea, and gum didn't have enough ginger to provide me reliable relief.

Dramamine® for motion sickness is a popular non-prescription remedy but watch out: it has two different formulations, the original one and a "less drowsy" formula.

The original version of Dramamine® contains dimenhydrinate, a close cousin of diphenhydramine or Benadryl®. Both dimenhydrinate and diphenhydramine can prevent motion sickness. Unfortunately, they also make you drowsy and need to be taken frequently.

The last time I took Dramamine® was on a flight



home from Orlando to Seattle. After crossing 3 time zones going westbound, I lost track of time, and it wore off right when I needed it.

Meclizine is my most reliable motion sickness remedy. You can buy it 3 ways: Bonine®, Dramamine® Less Drowsy Formula, and generic meclizine tablets. I recommend the 25mg chewable meclizine tablets unless your doctor advises you to take the 12.5mg tablets instead.

I never leave home without my chewable meclizine for motion sickness. It's inexpensive, is available as chewable flavored tablets, and rarely causes drowsiness. Best of all, one dose lasts 24 hours.

For more relief, try adding ginger or acupressure to meclizine. Avoid adding dimenhydrinate (the original Dramamine®) to meclizine or Benadryl® (diphenhydramine). Their combination can cause drowsiness, dry mouth, and constipation.

If taking meclizine or dimenhydrinate with ginger doesn't help your motion sickness, ask your doctor about a prescription for scopolamine patches.

Scopolamine is a patch (Transderm-Scop®) you wear behind your ear, lasting 2-3 days. Scopolamine patches are more potent at relieving motion sickness than non-prescription medicines, but they also cause more side effects.

Scopolamine can cause fatigue, blurred vision, dry mouth, constipation, and urinary retention. Talk to your medical provider about whether scopolamine would be a safe choice for you, especially if you have constipation.

Here are 5 Tips for Mastering Motion Sickness:

1. Be prepared. Motion sickness medicine takes a while to work and is most effective taken as a preventative. You should

take or apply motion-sickness remedies at least 30 minutes before experiencing the motion of a boat, car, or plane.

If you take a short-acting nausea medicine like ginger or dimenhydrinate (Dramamine® Original Formula), remember to bring another dose with you. If your outing is delayed, you'll be able to take another dose before the first one wears off.

2. Face forward. If possible, sit facing forward on cars, trains, boats, and roller coasters.

3. Keep cool. Seek out areas where you can get fresh air or a cool breeze on your face. Getting too warm always makes my motion sickness worse, so I wear layers to avoid getting overheated.

4. Choose meclizine over dimenhydrinate.

There are two formulas of Dramamine®: Original Formula and Less Drowsy Formula. They sit side by side on the pharmacy shelf, and it's easy to confuse one with the other.

I recommend meclizine, the generic version of Bonine® and Dramamine® Less Drowsy Formula. Meclizine is just as effective and costs less than those brand-name products.

5. Meclizine works for dogs, too.

For most dogs, the dose of meclizine is 25mg once daily. If your dog is smaller than 25 pounds or already takes medication, check with your veterinarian first.

Dr. Louise Achey, Doctor of Pharmacy, is a 43-year veteran of pharmacology and the author of *Why Dogs Can't Eat Chocolate: How Medicines Work and How YOU Can Take Them Safely*. Get clear answers to your medication questions at her website and blog, *TheMedicationInsider.com*. ©2022 Louise Achey

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# Abbott Invokes 'Invasion' Powers to Return Illegal Immigrants to Ports of Entry

CHARLOTTE CUTHBERTSON

Texas Gov. Greg Abbott took an unprecedented step on July 7 toward mitigating the border crisis, issuing an executive order that directs state law enforcement officers to apprehend illegal immigrants and return them to a port of entry at an international bridge.

"I ... do hereby authorize and empower the Texas National Guard and the Texas Department of Public Safety to respond to this illegal immigration by apprehending immigrants who cross the border between ports of entry or commit other violations of federal law, and to return those illegal immigrants to the border at a port of entry," Abbott's executive order states.

The order comes two days after five Texas counties declared the crisis an "invasion" and urged Abbott to respond at the state level, using his constitutional powers.

Abbott states that the Biden administration "has abandoned the covenant, in Article IV, Section 4 of the U.S. Constitution, that '[t]he United States . . . shall protect each [State in this Union] against Invasion.'"

In response, the governor can call on state military forces under Article IV, Section 7 of the Texas Constitution, as well as relevant sections of the Texas Government Code.

"President [Joe] Biden's failure to protect our border has necessitated action by the State of Texas to ensure public safety and to defend against violations of its sovereignty and territorial integrity," Abbott stated in the order.

"The cartels have become em-



A Texas National Guardsman watches as a group of Cubans crosses the Rio Grande from Mexico toward the United States in Eagle Pass, Texas, on April 19, 2022.

boldened and enriched by President Biden's open border policies, smuggling in record numbers of people, weapons, and deadly drugs like fentanyl," he said in an accompanying statement.

Border Patrol agents have apprehended more than 2 million illegal immigrants entering Texas from Mexico since Biden took office in January 2021, according to Customs and Border Protection data.

Along the whole southwest border during the same timeframe, agents have detected, but not captured, at least 850,000 illegal immigrants,

known as "gotaways."

"President Biden has refused to enforce the immigration laws enacted by Congress, including statutes mandating detention of certain immigrants who have claimed asylum or committed a crime," Abbott stated in his executive order.

"President Biden's reckless refusal to secure the border will provide material support to the cartels, allow them to smuggle more dangerous people, drugs, and weapons into Texas, and embolden cartel gunmen to continue shooting at state and federal officials."

Last week, Kinney County Sheriff Brad Coe drove four illegal aliens to the international bridge in Eagle Pass, Texas, and released them back to Mexico after Border Patrol was unable to take them into custody.

Kinney County was one of the five counties to declare an invasion on July 5, along with Goliad, Terrell, Edwards, and Jeff Davis. Presidio County signed a similar declaration on July 7.

Kinney County Attorney Brent Smith said, prior to Abbott's announcement, that he expected up to 25 Texas counties to declare an

invasion by the end of July.

National Border Patrol Council President Brandon Judd said in a previous interview that Abbott should "absolutely" invoke his powers under the Constitution to call the border crisis an "invasion" and respond accordingly.

"We're at a breaking point. We've got miles upon miles of border that just aren't patrolled because we have to deal with, frankly, an invasion," Judd told The Epoch Times on April 15.

"When you're dealing with over 200,000 illegal border crossings per month, I don't know how you don't call it anything but that."

Customs and Border Protection didn't respond by press time to a request for comment from The Epoch Times, or if the agency plans to support the return of illegal aliens at the international bridges.

A legal opinion published by Arizona Attorney General Mark Brnovich on Feb. 7 addresses the "invasion" question. The opinion centers around the definitions of "actually invaded" and "invasion" and whether the federal government has been derelict in its duty to protect.

"The on-the-ground violence and lawlessness at Arizona's border caused by cartels and gangs is extensive, well-documented, and persistent. It can satisfy the definition of 'actually invaded' and 'invasion' under the U.S. Constitution," the opinion reads.

Abbott's office didn't respond by press time to a question from The Epoch Times asking if he expects the executive order to be met with legal challenges from the federal government.

## Chinese Communist Party Threat Is 'Massive': FBI and MI5 Directors

ANDREW THORNEBROOKE

Leaders from the UK and U.S. domestic intelligence agencies delivered a rare joint statement on July 6, warning that the Chinese Communist Party (CCP) is the greatest threat to the international order.

"The most game-changing challenge we face comes from the Chinese Communist Party," MI5 Director General Ken McCallum said. "It's covertly applying pressure across the globe. This might feel abstract. But it's real and it's pressing. We need to talk about it. We need to act."

McCallum described the CCP's aggression as a "massive shared challenge" for the UK and the United States. He said the communist regime is organizing the whole of China's state apparatus to systematically undermine the West and steal advanced technologies.

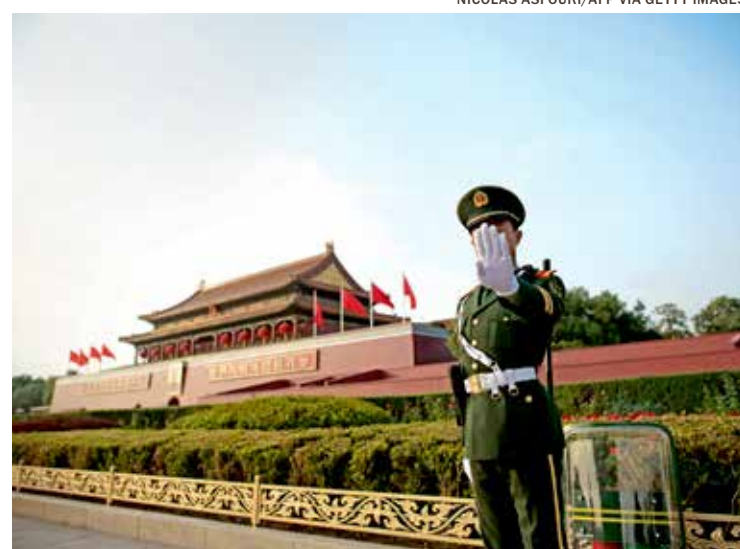
"The CCP adopts a whole-of-state approach in which businesses and individuals are forced by law to cooperate with the Party," he said. "In our free societies, we can do better. By building trusted partnerships across our national systems and, as symbolized today, internationally."

### CCP Is the 'Biggest Long-Term Threat'

FBI Director Christopher Wray said the greatest challenge to the international order is the CCP, which seeks to undermine the United States, its allies, and its partners.

"We consistently see that it's the Chinese government that poses the biggest long-term threat to our economic and national security, and by 'our,' I mean both of our nations, along with our allies in Europe and elsewhere," he said.

McCallum said the purpose of the statement wasn't to demonize the Chinese people nor to cut off China's



A Chinese paramilitary soldier stands near Tiananmen Square during the Communist Party's 19th Congress in Beijing on Oct. 22, 2017.

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Ken McCallum, director general, MI5

businesses from the rest of the world, but that it was designed to specifically address the many threats posed by the CCP. These included covert theft, forced technology transfers, research exploitation, and cyberattacks that target virtually every sector of society.

"The scale of ambition is huge," he said. "And it's not really a secret. Any number of public strategic plans, such as Made in China 2025, show the intent plainly.

"[They are] seeking to bend our economy, our society, our attitudes to suit the Chinese Communist Party's interests. To set standards and norms that would enable it to dominate the international order. This should make us sit up and notice."

The UK government, like others throughout the world, has been the target of high-profile espionage campaigns by the CCP. Earlier this year, MI5 warned that a Chinese spy had cultivated extensive ties throughout parliament, including through fundraising. Likewise, the UK also expelled

several Chinese spies who posed as journalists.

The incidents served to underscore what McCallum presented as a harsh truth: that the West's economic liberalism had failed to result in greater freedom and transparency in China.

"The widespread Western assumption that growing prosperity within China and increasing connectivity with the West would automatically lead to greater political freedom has, I'm afraid, been shown to be plain wrong," he said. "But the Chinese Communist Party is interested in our democratic, media, and legal systems. Not to emulate them, sadly, but to use them for its gain."

### CCP Targets US Economy, Politics

Wray noted that CCP espionage targeted all sectors of the economy, from aviation to agriculture, and that the CCP was engaged in aggressive activities against U.S. infrastructure, such as a massive hack that compromised roughly 100,000 servers last year, which Microsoft alleged was carried out by hackers with backing from Beijing.

He also noted that the CCP appeared to be preparing its economy for increased decoupling from the West in a potential signal that it could be prepping for an invasion of Taiwan.

"We've seen China looking for ways to insulate their economy against potential sanctions, trying to cushion themselves from harm if they do anything to draw the ire of the international behavior," Wray said. "In our world, we call that kind of behavior a clue."

As such, he encouraged business leaders to coordinate with the FBI and MI5 to protect themselves and to better prepare for the reality of increased CCP attempts to steal from,

extort, and pressure businesses in the United States and the UK.

Wray said such a threat shouldn't be underestimated, as the CCP had already attempted to directly interfere in U.S. elections by plotting against a Chinese-born candidate for Congress.

"The Chinese government is trying to shape the world by interfering in our politics and those of our allies," he said. "The Chinese government went so far as directly interfering in a congressional election in New York because they did not want the candidate—a Tiananmen Square protester and critic of the Chinese government—to be elected."

The statement referenced the case of Yan Xiong, a U.S. Army veteran who was targeted by the CCP last year. The incident was one of the numerous attempts by the regime in Beijing to stalk, intimidate, harass, or otherwise silence dissidents of the regime living in the United States.

Despite those threats, the Department of Justice terminated the Trump-era China Initiative, its sweeping counter-espionage campaign, in February. The department stated that it had received numerous complaints of racial profiling and, although an internal review found no evidence of such, it would end the program to avoid a "harmful perception of bias."

Perhaps to avoid a similar outcome with ongoing FBI efforts, Wray underscored that the threat to the West wasn't those of Chinese origin, but the CCP itself.

"It is the Chinese government and the Chinese Communist Party that pose the threat we're focused on countering, not the Chinese people and certainly not Chinese immigrants in our countries who are themselves frequently victims of the Chinese government's lawless aggression."

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**Public Notices**

**2022-2023 Budget Hearing/Meeting to Adopt**  
The Cascade School District Board of Directors will hold a hearing on the 2022-2023 budget prior to the scheduled board meeting on Monday, July 18, 2022. The Hearing will begin at 6:00 pm in person (zoom option) with the regular board meeting to follow at 7 pm. Any person may appear there at and be heard for or against any part of such budget.

Published in The Leavenworth Echo/Cashmere Valley Record on July 6, and 13, 2022. # 4280

**Public Notices**

**NOTICE OF MEETING TO ADOPT 2022-2023 BUDGET AND CONDUCT PUBLIC HEARING**

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to RCW 28A.505.050 and RCW 28A.505.060, that the Board of Directors (the "Board") of Bridgeport School District No. 075, Douglas County, Washington (the "District") will hold a regular meeting on July 25, 2022, commencing 6:00 PM in the Bridgeport Middle School Cafeteria of the Bridgeport School District, located at 1300 Douglas Avenue, Bridgeport, Washington. The meeting is called for the purpose of fixing and adopting the budget of the District for the ensuing 2022-23 fiscal year. Prior to adoption of the 2022-23 budget, the Board will hold a hearing on July 25, 2022 commencing 5:30 PM for the purpose of receiving comments from the public on the 2022-23 budget. Any person may appear at the hearing and be heard for or against any part of the 2022-23 budget, the four-year budget plan, or any proposed changes to uses of enrichment funding under RCW 28A.505.240 educational programs and operation levy. Upon conclusion of the hearing, the Board shall fix and determine the appropriation from each fund contained in the 2022-23 budget and shall, by resolution, adopt the 2022-23 budget, the four-year budget plan summary, and the four-year enrollment projection. 2022-23 budget information is available in the District office or may be obtained by contacting Eddie Morales, Business Manager (509) 686-5656. BRIDGEPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 075 DOUGLAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON Scott Sattler Superintendent Published in the Quad City Herald July 13 and 20, 2022. #4338

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Public Notices

Notice of Primary Election Okanogan County, State of Washington

Tuesday, August 2, 2022

A Primary Election will be held in the below mentioned districts for the purpose of submitting to the voters for their approval or rejection the following.

United States Senator, United States Representative 4th District, Secretary of State, State Senator 7th Legislative District, State Representative District 7 Position 1, State Representative District 7 Position 2, County Assessor, County Auditor, County Clerk, County Commissioner District 3, County Coroner, County Prosecuting Attorney, County Sheriff, County Treasurer, Douglas-Okanogan Public Hospital District No. 1 Proposition 1.

The registration deadline for online registrations, mail-in registrations and transfers is July 25th, 2022. Any qualified elector who is not registered to vote in the State of Washington may register to vote in person at the Auditor's Office up to and including August 2nd, 2022.

You can register or obtain registration forms at the Auditor's Office, on line at [www.votewa.gov](http://www.votewa.gov), and Department of Licensing.

The Okanogan County Auditor's Office, 149 3rd Ave N, Room 104, at the County Courthouse, will be open so voters may obtain replacement ballots, drop off voted ballots, obtain provisional ballots, and use the Accessible Voting Units, at the following times.

Monday – Friday, 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM, July 15th – August 1st, 2022. On Election Day only, August 2nd, 2022, 8:00 AM - 8:00 PM.

Drop box locations around the county for this election. Auditors office- 149 3rd Ave N, Rm 104, Okanogan

Omak – Police Station, 8 N Ash, Omak

Omak- Casino parking lot, 28968 Hwy 97, Omak

Pateros – Parking Lot, 180 Pateros Mall, Pateros

Twisp – Temporary City Hall - 110 E 2nd Ave, Twisp

Winthrop- Red Barn, 51 Hwy 20, Winthrop

Nespelem- Tribal Agency- 21 Colville St, Nespelem

Coulee Dam- City Hall, 300 Lincoln Ave, Coulee Dam

Tonasket- City Hall, 209 S Whitcomb Ave, Tonasket

Oroville- Police Station, 1105 Main St, Oroville

Riverside- Town Hall, 101 1st St, Riverside

Drop boxes will close at 8:00PM on Election Day

Voters needing additional information or assistance with voter registration forms or voting may call (509) 422-7240. Voters unable to use the mail-in ballot may use the Accessible Voting Unit available at the County Auditor's Office.

No postage is required to return your ballot for this election. Return postage is prepaid. Ballots must be postmarked by the day of the election. Check with your local Post Office for deadlines to have your ballot postmarked properly.

For additional information on the election or regarding voter registration.

[votewa.gov/okanogan](http://votewa.gov/okanogan)

[myvote.wa.gov](http://myvote.wa.gov),

Local newspaper, radio, and TV

[www.pdc.wa.gov](http://www.pdc.wa.gov)

Meetings of the Okanogan County Canvassing Board are open, public meetings and shall be continued until the activities for which the following meetings are held have been completed.

Canvass Board meetings are held in the Okanogan County Auditor's Office, 149 3rd Ave N, Room 104, at the County Courthouse, in Okanogan.

Tuesday, August 10th, 2022 at 11:00 AM to determine the status of any provisional or challenged ballots

Thursday, August 12th, 2022 at 11:00 AM to determine the status of any provisional or challenged ballots

Tuesday, August 16th, 2022 at 2:00 PM to canvass the votes cast and certify the election

Two audits are required by law.

- Duplicated ballots – to be completed before certification
- Random – hand count of 3 precincts, one office/pace no later than 48 hours after Election Day.

The audit schedule is as follows. Audits will take place in the Okanogan County Auditor's office.

Observers are welcome, it can also be viewed on [okanogancounty.org/auditor](http://okanogancounty.org/auditor).

Random - Thursday, August 4th, 2022 at 2:00PM

Duplicated ballots- Wednesday, August 11th, 2022 at 2:00 PM

This notice is in accordance with RCW 29A.52. Dated at Okanogan, Washington this 17th day of June, 2022. Carl Hall, Okanogan County Auditor and Ex-Officio Supervisor of Elections, Jamie Groomes, Chief Deputy Elections Administrator

Published in the Quad City Herald July 13, 2022.

Public Notices

Notice of 2022-23 Budget Hearing and Adoption

Notice is hereby given that the Mansfield School Dist. #207 will adopt the 2022-23 budget at the Budget Hearing and Adoption Meeting on Tuesday, July 19, 2022 starting at 7:30 PM in the library of the Mansfield school building, Mansfield, Washington. The regular board meeting will follow the budget hearing and adoption. The public is invited to be heard for or against all or part of the 2022-23 budget, the four-year budget plan summary, and the four-year enrollment projection. Published in the Quad City Herald July 6 and 13, 2022. #4279

Public Notices

SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON FOR DOUGLAS COUNTY

GARY R. MCMONAGLE and GAIL L. DEGRAVE, husband and wife, Plaintiffs,

v.

WILLIAM F. SNELSON and CLARA M. SNELSON, husband and wife, the UNKNOWN HEIRS of WILLIAM F. SNELSON, the UNKNOWN HEIRS of CLARA M. SNELSON, DAVID T. DORSEY and HAZEL M. DORSEY, husband and wife, the UNKNOWN HEIRS of DAVID T. DORSEY, the UNKNOWN HEIRS of HAZEL M. DORSEY, CHARLES L. REASOR and HATTIE L. REASOR, husband and wife, the UNKNOWN HEIRS of CHARLES L. REASOR, the UNKNOWN HEIRS of HATTIE L. REASOR, LAWRENCE H. REASOR and VELMA R. REASOR, husband and wife, the UNKNOWN HEIRS of LAWRENCE H. REASOR, the UNKNOWN HEIRS of VELMA R. REASOR, FRANK M. SCHRECK and MARY T. SCHRECK, husband and wife, the UNKNOWN HEIRS of FRANK M. SCHRECK, the UNKNOWN HEIRS of MARY T. SCHRECK, BRAYLAND ORCHARDS, INC., a Washington corporation, its successors and assigns, and ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY, Defendants.

No. 22-2-00173-09

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

The State of Washington to WILLIAM F. SNELSON and CLARA M. SNELSON, husband and wife, DAVID T. DORSEY and HAZEL M. DORSEY, husband and wife, CHARLES L. REASOR and HATTIE L. REASOR, husband and wife, LAWRENCE H. REASOR and VELMA R. REASOR, husband and wife, FRANK M. SCHRECK and MARY T. SCHRECK, husband and wife, BRAYLAND ORCHARDS, INC., a Washington corporation, its successors and assigns, and ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY, and their respective unknown heirs, successors and assigns: You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty (60) days after the date of the first publication of this summons, to wit, within sixty (60) days after the 13th day of July, 2022, and defend the above entitled action in the above entitled Court, and answer the complaint of the Plaintiffs GARY R. MCMONAGLE and GAIL L. DEGRAVE, and serve a copy of your answer upon the undersigned attorneys for the Plaintiff, at their office below stated; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, which has been filed with the clerk of said court.

Object of Action: Verified Complaint for Quiet Title of real estate described as follows:

A portion of the Southwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section Nineteen, Township Twenty-six North, Range Twenty-two E., W.M., described as follows:

Beginning at a point 10 rods West of the Northeast corner of said SW1/4NE1/4, thence running South 30 rods, thence running West 26-2/3 rods, thence running North 30 rods, thence running East 26-2/3 rods to the Point of Beginning, containing about 5 acres more or less.

Douglas County Assessor's Tax Parcel No. 262-219-100-02. This summons is issued pursuant to RCW 4.28.110 and 4.28.140. DATED this 29th day of June, 2022.

SPEIDEL BENTSEN LLP By: David J. Bentsen, WSBA No. 42107 7 North Wenatchee Avenue, Suite 600 P.O. Box 881 Wenatchee, WA 98807-0881 Telephone Number (509) 662-1211 Published in the Quad City Herald July 13, 20, 29, August 3, 10 and 17, 2022. #4337

Public Notices

THE CITY OF PATEROS PUBLIC INFORMATIONAL MEETING NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN The City of Pateros is holding a public informational meeting July 18, 2022, at 5 p.m., at 113 Lakeshore Drive, Pateros Washington, regarding the update to the Shoreline Master Program. Any questions can be directed to city hall at 509-923-2571 Published in the Quad City Herald July 6, 13, 2022 #4276

Public Notices

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID Bridgeport Animal Barn - Rebid

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Directors of Bridgeport School District, in the Board Room at 1400 Tacoma Avenue, Bridgeport, WA, 98813, for the construction of the Bridgeport Animal Barn - Rebid. Sealed Bids must be received by 3:00 pm local time on August 2, 2022, and must be marked "Sealed Bids - Bridgeport Animal Barn - Rebid". Bids received after this time will not be considered. Sealed Bids will be opened and publicly read at 3:00 pm on August 2, 2022. Sealed Supplemental Bid Form A-Part-1, B, and C, must be received by one hour after Bids are due, and Sealed Supplemental Bid Form A-Part-2 must be received by forty-eight hours after Bids are due.

Project documents are available at [www.architectswestplans.com](http://www.architectswestplans.com). Bidders may download digital files at no cost; Hardcopy sets are available with a refundable deposit of \$300 per set plus a non-refundable fee of \$30 per set for handling to be submitted by separate checks. General Contractor may obtain two (2) sets of documents; Mech/Elec/First Tier subcontractors may obtain one (1) set of documents via checks payable to Architects West and mailed to Abadan Reprographics, 603 E. 2nd Ave., Spokane, WA 99202. Deposits will be returned on receipt of documents for a period of ten days after bid opening, provided they are complete and in clean, usable condition. Additional or partial sets may be purchased. Bidders are required to register as a plan holder at [www.architectswestplans.com](http://www.architectswestplans.com), and select "Add me as a Plan Holder". Questions regarding the plan room contact Auron (509) 747-2964 or [repro@abadanspokane.com](mailto:repro@abadanspokane.com). A complete set of contract documents will also be filed with the Plan Centers listed at [www.architectswestplans.com](http://www.architectswestplans.com). No bidder may withdraw his bid after hour set for opening thereof, unless award is delayed for a period exceeding 30 days. The Bridgeport School District reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive informalities or irregularities in any bid.

BRIDGEPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT SCOTT SATTLER, SUPERINTENDENT Published in the Quad City Herald July 13 and 20, 2022. #4341

Public Notices

PATEROS SCHOOL BOARD OF DIRECTORS NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING MEETING

The Board of Directors of the Pateros School District 122-70J, Okanogan and Chelan Counties, will meet at 5:45 p.m. on Monday, July 25, 2022 in the school library and via Zoom for the purpose of conducting a budget hearing meeting for the 2022-2023 school year. A copy of the proposed budget will be available for public examination at [www.pateros.org](http://www.pateros.org) and in the district office on July 10, 2022. A copy of the budget and a summary of the four-year budget will be furnished to any person who contacts the district office with such request. Any person may appear at the hearing and be heard for or against any part of the budget, the four-year budget plan, or any proposed changes to uses of enrichment funding. Visit [www.pateros.org](http://www.pateros.org), board of directors for the electronic meeting address. The Pateros School District is a barrier free facility accessible to persons with disabilities. Additional information is available in the superintendent's office 509-923-2751 ext. 4. Greg Goodnight, Secretary of the Board Pateros School District Proposed Agenda: 1. Call to Order, 2. Flag Salute, 3. 2022-23 Pateros School District Budget a. 2022-23 Budget Hearing; b. Public Forum 4. Consideration of Resolution 2022-316, 2022-23 Budget Adoption; 5. Adjournment Published in the Quad City Herald July 6 and 13, 2022. #4284

Public Notices

2022-23 Budget Hearing

NOTICE OF MEETING TO ADOPT 2022-23 BUDGET AND CONDUCT PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to RCW 289A.505.050 and RCW 28A.505.060, that the Board of Directors (the "Board") of Brewster School District No. 111/203J, Douglas & Okanogan Counties, Washington (the "District") will hold a regular meeting on July 25, 2022 commencing at 7 PM in the Elementary School Library, located at 502 S. 7th Street, Brewster, Washington. The meeting is called for the purpose of fixing and adopting the budget of the District for ensuing 2022-23 fiscal year. Prior to adoption of the 2022-23 budget, the Board will hold a hearing starting at 6:30 PM for the purpose of receiving comments from the public on the 2022-23 budget. Any person may appear at the hearing and be heard for or against any part of the 2022-23 budget, the four-year budget plan, or any proposed changes to uses of enrichment funding under RCW.28A.505.240. Published in the Quad City Herald July 6 and 13, 2022. #4283

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15. Relating to armpit  
16. Criminal's surprise  
17. Nephew's sister  
18. \*4th of July spectacle  
20. 1952 Olympics host  
21. 1,000 kilograms  
22. Meat sauce  
23. Vacation location  
26. French painter of "La Danse" fame  
30. Menu words (2 words)  
31. Lean  
34. Wine valley  
35. Impertinent  
37. \*Annual Assumption tradition blesses it  
38. #2 Down, pl.  
39. Highest volcano in Europe  
40. Puppies  
42. Bit of binary code  
43. Dean's official residence  
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47. Wine quality  
48. Bilbo Baggins' land  
50. Windsor family's sport  
52. \*Popular New Year's libation  
56. Stored by bees  
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12. "Jane Eyre" author  
13. Pig part  
14. "Action under mistletoe"  
19. Like a damaged apple, possibly  
22. Jam container  
23. Torn down  
24. Fill with optimism  
25. Sweating room  
26. "Thanksgiving's main event?"  
27. Beauty parlor  
28. Chiropractor's concern  
29. Painting holder  
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33. "Wow!"  
36. \*Birthday cake decorations  
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40. Kind of humor  
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